

REMARKS

Reconsideration of the present application is respectfully requested.

In the Office Action, the Examiner rejected Claims 7-14 under the judicially created doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting as being unpatentable over U.S. Patent No. 6,683,576. In response, a terminal disclaimer is being submitted herewith to overcome this rejection where Koninklijke Philips Electronics N.V., is the assignee of record of both the current application and U.S. Patent No. 6,683,576.

In the Office Action, claims 7 and 12-14 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as being unpatentable over U.S. Patent Number 5,969,680 (Tsuru).

By means of the present Amendment, claims 7 and 12-14 have been canceled without prejudice, new claims 15-22 have been added, and claims 8 and 11 have been written in independent form, where certain features have been deleted that should not affect patentability thereof. In view of the enclosed terminal disclaimer, it is respectfully submitted that the double patenting rejection of claims 7-14 be withdrawn, and claims 8 and 11 be

allowed. In addition, it is respectfully submitted that claims 9-10 and 15-18 should also be allowed at least based on their dependence from independent claims 8 and 11.

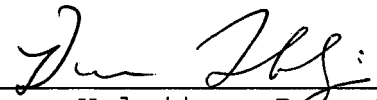
It is respectfully submitted that new independent claim 19 is also patentable, since it includes features of amended claims 8 and 11 that are believed to be patentable over Tsuru. In particular, Tsuru is directed to a single band antenna, rather than a multiband antenna. Tsuru does not teach or suggest an antenna have two resonant structures, where the first resonant structures is configured dimensionally to excite a first resonant frequency, while the second resonant structure is configured dimensionally to excite a second resonant frequency or a harmonic thereof, as recited in independent claim 19. Accordingly, it is respectfully submitted that independent claim 19 be allowed. In addition, it is respectfully submitted that claims 20-22 should also be allowed at least based on their dependence from independent claim 19.

In view of the above, it is respectfully submitted that the present application is in condition for allowance, and a Notice of Allowance is earnestly solicited.

If any informalities remain, the Examiner is requested to telephone the undersigned in order to expedite allowance.

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